

REMARKS

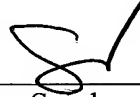
With the above amendments, the specification has been amended to incorporate the International and German priority applications by reference. The claims have been amended to delete multiple dependencies and place them in better form for examination.

A substitute specification in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.125 is attached. The attached substitute specification contains no new matter.

Accordingly, it is believed that the application is in good condition for examination. The below-signed attorney for Applicants welcomes any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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